

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	CRIMINAL NO.	_____
v.	:	DATE FILED:	
RYSHONE TAYLOR	:	VIOLATIONS:	_____
	:		18 U.S.C. §922(g)(1)
	:		(Felon in possession of a
	:		firearm - 1 count)
	:		18 U.S.C. §924(c)
	:		(Possession of a firearm in
	:		furtherance of a drug
	:		trafficking crime - 1 count)
	:		21 U.S.C. §841(a)(1)
	:		(Possession with intent to
	:		distribute cocaine base
	:		("crack") - 2 counts)
	:		21 U.S.C. §841(a)(1)
	:		(Possession with intent to
	:		distribute marijuana - 1
	:		count)
	:		Notice of forfeiture

**INDICTMENT**

**COUNT ONE**

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

On or about December 26, 2002, at Philadelphia, in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania,  
defendant

**RYSHONE TAYLOR,**

having been convicted in a court of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, knowingly possessed in and affecting interstate and foreign commerce a firearm, that is, a Bryco Model T380, .380 caliber handgun with

an obliterated serial number, and loaded with eight rounds of .380 caliber ammunition.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(1).

**COUNT TWO**

THE GRAND JURY FURTHER CHARGES THAT:

On or about December 26, 2002, in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, defendant

**RYSHONE TAYLOR**

knowingly possessed a firearm, that is, a Bryco Model T380, .380 caliber handgun with an obliterated serial number, loaded with eight .380 caliber rounds of ammunition, in furtherance of a drug trafficking crime for which he may be prosecuted in a Court of the United States, that is, possession with intent to distribute cocaine base ("crack"), in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1), as charged in Count Three of this Indictment, and possession with intent to distribute marijuana, in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1), as charged in Count Four of this Indictment.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(c)(1).

**COUNT THREE**

THE GRAND JURY FURTHER CHARGES THAT:

On or about December 26, 2002, in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, defendant

**RYSHONE TAYLOR**

knowingly and intentionally possessed with intent to distribute a mixture or substance containing a detectable amount of cocaine base (“crack”), a Schedule II controlled substance.

In violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(C).

**COUNT FOUR**

THE GRAND JURY FURTHER CHARGES THAT:

On or about December 26, 2002, in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, defendant

**RYSHONE TAYLOR**

did knowingly and intentionally possess with the intent to distribute a mixture or substance containing a detectable amount of marijuana, a Schedule I controlled substance.

In violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(C).

**COUNT FIVE**

THE GRAND JURY FURTHER CHARGES THAT:

On or about December 27, 2002, in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, defendant

**RYSHONE TAYLOR**

knowingly and intentionally possessed with intent to distribute a mixture or substance containing a detectable amount of cocaine base (“crack”), a Schedule II controlled substance.

In violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(C).

**NOTICE OF FORFEITURE (18 U.S.C. § 924(d))**

1. As a result of the violations of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(1), and Section 924(c), set forth in this Indictment, the defendant

**RYSHONE TAYLOR**

shall forfeit to the United States of America, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(d) and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c), the firearm involved in the commission of these offenses, including, but not limited to:

- (1) .380 caliber Bryco semi-automatic handgun, Model T380, with an obliterated serial number which was restored to read 1328874; and
- (2) eight rounds of .380 caliber ammunition

All pursuant to Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c) and Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(d).

A TRUE BILL:

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*FOREPERSON*

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PATRICK L. MEEHAN  
*United States Attorney*